



# Media Information

Columbus Division of Police

Date: June 20, 2020

Major Crimes Bureau / Homicide Unit

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Type of Offense/Incident: Homicide

Date: 6/20/2020

Time: 12:53AM

Location of Offense/Incident: 2545 Vanderberg Avenue

Zone: 3

Precinct: 10

Incident Report #: 200446933

Cruiser District: 101

Victim: Daniel R. Maurice

Sex: M

Race: W

Age: 38

Victim:

Sex:

Race:

Age:

Victim:

Sex:

Race:

Age:

Suspect: Joshua Michael Jennings

Address: 94 Eldon Avenue

☒ Arrested ☐ Warrant on File

Sex: M

Race: W

Age: 32

Charges: Murder

Suspect:

Address:

☐ Arrested ☐ Warrant on File

Sex:

Race:

Age:

Charges:

**Incident Summary:** On June 20, 2020, at 12:44 am, Columbus Police Officers were dispatched to 2545 Vanderberg Ave. on a report of a shooting. Upon arrival, the responding officers found the victim, Daniel R. Maurice, W/M, unresponsive with a gunshot wound to his head inside the listed residence. Personnel from the Columbus Police Fire Department working Medic #15 arrived and pronounced Mr. Maurice at 12:53 am.

Witnesses at the scene reported that the suspect, "Josh", fled the scene with a gun in hand. "Josh" fired two gunshots toward a witness and the residence. He then fled in a brown Dodge truck towards Briggs Ave. While en route to the scene, a patrol sergeant picked up the suspects' vehicle, northbound on S. Hague Ave., displaying Ohio license plate HVA3694. Subsequently, a traffic stop was made on the lot of the Marathon Gas, 2805 W. Broad St., with the occupant, Joshua Jennings being taken into custody without incident.

Anyone with information regarding this incident is asked to contact Columbus Police Homicide Detective Close #2190 at 614-645-4730 or central Ohio Crime Stoppers at 614-461-TIPS(8477).

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